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SUBJECT: POSSIBLE SOVIET PROTEST AT WHO-FAO

CONFERENCE ON FOOD HYGIENE

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1. FRG BONN GROUP REP (WEGENER) INFORMED US TODAY THAT PROFESSOR DR. K. GERIGK OF THE FEDERAL HEALTH OFFICE, LOCATED IN BERLIN, IS PRESENTLY ATTENDING THE WASHINGTON CONFERENCE OF THE WHO-FAO COMMITTEE ON FOOD HYGIENE (AUGUST 29-SEPTEMBER 2). THE USUAL SOVIET AND EAST EUROPEAN PROTESTS CAN BE EXPECTED AND THE FRG HAS REQUESTED ALLIED SUPPORT IN REJECTING THEM.

2. WEGENER REGRETTEED THAT THE ALLIES HAD NOT BEEN INFORMED ON A MORE TIMELY BASIS. HE SAID THAT THE MINISTRY FOR YOUTH, FAMILY AND HEALTH, WHICH HAD JUST INFORMED THE FOREIGN OFFICE ABOUT GERIGK'S PARTICIPATION, HAS BEEN ADVISED THAT ADVANCE INFORMATION IS NECESSARY IF THE ALLIES ARE EFFECTIVELY TO COUNTER
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SOVIET AND EE PROTESTS.

3. ACTION REQUESTED: THAT DEPARTMENT ARRANGE FOR COORDINATION WITH BRITISH AND FRENCH CONCERNING REPLIES TO ANY PROTESTS, USING THE CONTINGENCY PLAN CONTAINED IN REFTEL.
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